


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hiroshi Uno  
 Serial No.: 10/763,058  
 Conf. No.: 3718  
 Filed: January 22, 2004  
 For: SIGNAL PROCESSING METHOD,  
 SIGNAL PROCESSING CIRCUIT  
 AND INFORMATION  
 RECORDING/REGENERATING  
 APPARATUS  
 Art Unit: 2651  
 Examiner: Kapadia, Varsha A.

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June 19, 2006

Date

  
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended		Previously Paid For	=	Present Extra	x	Rate	=	Additional Fee
Total Claims	<u>12</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>0</u>	x	\$50.00	=	\$ <u>-0-</u>
Independent Claims	<u>6</u>	-	<u>6</u>	=	<u>0</u>	x	\$200.00	=	\$ <u>-0-</u>
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims							\$360.00	=	\$ <u>-0-</u>
Total Additional Fee									\$ <u>-0-</u>
Small Entity Fee (reduced by half)									

(X) Amendment B.

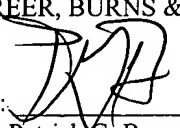
(X) If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

(X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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**AMENDMENT B**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed March 17, 2006, please amend the above-identified Application as follows: